

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/635,864  
Applicant : LOVEDAY *et al.*  
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Examiner : William K. Cheung

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Sir:

This amendment and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is submitted in response to the Advisory Action dated April 22, 2009 and the Office Action made final dated January 14, 2009. Please reconsider the application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

**REMARKS**

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

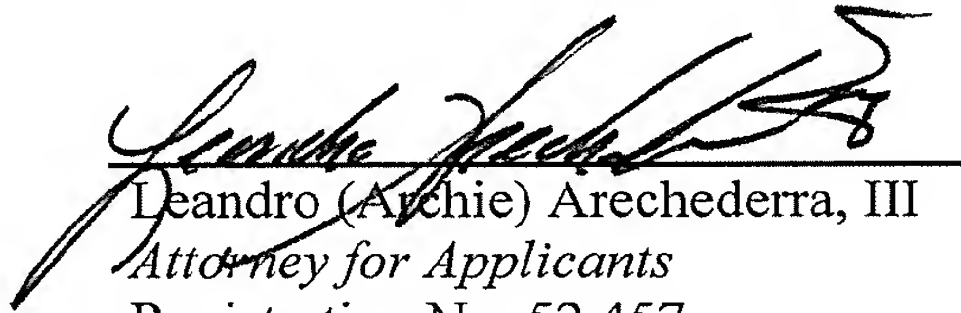
Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the attached Amendment and After Final Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 previously submitted on April 14, 2009, as well as the references on the 1449 form previously submitted on April 24, 2009, copies of which are attached for the consideration of the Examiner. Additionally, Applicants provide herewith a new 1449 form for the consideration of the Examiner.

In the alternative, Applicants invite the Office to telephone the undersigned attorney if there are any other issues outstanding which have not been presented to the Office's satisfaction.

Respectfully submitted,

May 11, 2009

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